

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., March 2, 1888

Hon. Daniel M. Fox,
Superintendent U.S. Mint,
Philadelphia.

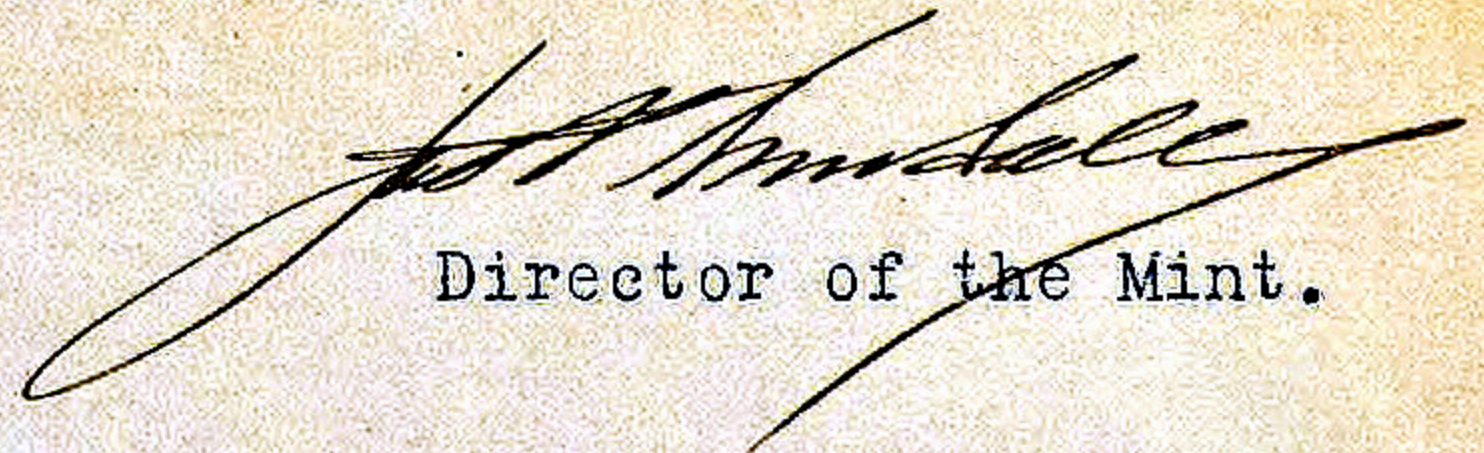
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